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For: FASTENER RETAILING METHOD WITH GRAPHIC
INTERFACE SELECTION AND LOCATOR SOFTWARE
Filed: June 22, 2001
Group: 2167
Applicant: Timms et al.

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ASSIGNMENT

In consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), paid to us, and other valuable consideration, the receipt of all of which is hereby acknowledged, we:

- (1) John Timms
- (2) Michael Feder

whose addresses are, respectively,

- (1) 129 Kalmar Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M1N 3G6
- (2) 47 Deerglen Terrace, Aurora, Ontario, Canada L4G 6Y2

do hereby confirm that we have sold and assigned, and do hereby sell and assign, as assignors, to H. Paulin & Co. Limited a corporation of Ontario, Canada, having an office and place of business at 55 Milne Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M1L 4N3, as assignee, all our right, title and interest, for Canada, the United States and all other countries, in and to an invention entitled:

**FASTENER RETAILING METHOD WITH GRAPHIC INTERFACE SELECTION
AND LOCATOR OF SOFTWARE**

as described and illustrated in the patent applications listed in Appendix A to this Assignment and all our right, title and interest in and to said patent applications and in and to divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, and in and to any patents that may be granted for said invention and in an to any variation of said invention.

We agree that we will without further consideration relating to the assignment of the invention do all such things and execute all such documents as may be necessary or desirable to obtain and maintain patents for said invention and for additions and modifications thereto in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto in said assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives or nominees. The assignee shall compensate each assignor for the assignor's reasonable costs in doing such things and executing such documents, including compensation for time spent travelling and reviewing documents.

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EXECUTED, at Toronto, Ontario, Canada, this 18 day of

January, 2001.

Judith
Witness

John Himms
John Himms

EXECUTED, at Aurora, Ontario, Canada, this 28 day of

NOVEMBER, 2001.

Tina Follis
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Michael Feder
Michael Feder

APPENDIX "A"

Patent Applications

United States Patent Application No. 60/213,152

Canadian Patent Application No. 09/886,014